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Thinking Out Loud

By H. M. L.

Nevada City can hold its head proudly. It has met the two recent Red Cross drives, one on the heels of the other and the last one a whopper, and filled the quotas without stammering. The entire city along with Truckee had to be closely combed, but the people, and that is the important thing, responded generously. The population of Nevada City is approximately 2,000 and the last quota was $2,000, but of this sum Truckee contributed $300 in round figures. If every community does as well throughout the land, the $50,000,000 national goal will be topped and something to spare. We believe it will be, for there are plenty of spots on the U. S. map where money is extremely plentiful. The successful conclusion of the War Relief campaign, as the last Red Cross drive was named, is due to the capable leadership of R. J. Bennetts and his well organized committee of earnest and willing workers.

There are other ways of helping along "our side" in this world wide contest, ways that do not cost anything in the way of cash. There is the book campaign to supply young soldiers with good things to read. Every household, or almost every one, has a book or two lying about that everyone in the family has read. Mrs. Iva Williamson, city librarian, is conducting a campaign to gather up all those tired, idle books and put them in the hands of soldiers and sailors. Those households that accumulate magazines may also contribute the more recent issues to this same cause "Keep 'em reading," says Mrs. Williamson, and it's a good slogan. Those who want to help this war along to victory, can take their books to the vacant store building, corner of Pine and Commercial and give those moribund volumnes a new lease of life. The place is open between 1:30 and 4:30 p. m.

Another way of helping, for the women folks, and men if they can knit, is to ask Mrs. McCraney for some yarn. In Scotland many an elderly man can knit, and we recall that a famous English admiral was good at knitting. So we include men in this invitation. These knitted sweaters for which the Red Cross provides the yarn, go to the underclothed and suffering peoples wherever the most need is the world over. Each one helps to build for the United States its reputation of world-wide Samaritanism.

There is many a lad in the armed services who doesn't get a letter in a blue moon from anyone. They are the lonesome ones. It is very easy to get the names of any of these boys in the training camps who are hungry for a letter from their home towns or rural districts. There's a great movement afoot to "adopt" a soldier or sailor and write him regularly, send him a birthday present and make him feel that he's got folks that take a real interest in him. A surprise package of cookies, or a pot of jam, can hearten a boy in camp no end. It is needless to suggest, of course, that all motorists, give a man in the uniform of his country's armed forces, a lift whenever one is seen afoot on the highway. It goes without saying that is now the universal custom.

While it does seem improbable that there will be any actual bombing of Nevada County communities on the part of the enemy, it wont do to close our minds to the possibility. There has been too much of it-can't-happen-here thinking. We would think off hand that the Japanese, who are most likely to bomb this coast, would want to invest their bombs where the profits of destruction are highest, but one cannot account for the vagaries of the yellow temperament. They might wish to do business at strategic points inland, as far inland as here. So let us get as ready as is humanly possible for that eventuality. That means that all us, each one of us, should belong to one of the home defense committees and know exactly what to do, and how to do it, in the event we should be raided. We doubt if the federal government will offer, or can offer very much in the way of protecton to towns along the Sierra foothills. It behooves us, who live here, to get ready. It wont cost much, this preparation, but it will be worth a good deal to us if we are ready to act and anything does happen.

Supervisor Asks Funds For Road

PROJECT TONIGHT TO BE CONSIDERED BY CHAMBER HERE

Supervisor Jay Coughlan appeared before the highway committee of the Sacramento Valley Council State Chamber of Commerce in Sacramento Friday and asked that group for its support in obtaining funds to work on the Spanish Mine - Washington Junction road to allow the trucking the year round of barite, essential war mineral, from the Spanish Mine.

The request of Coughlan was tabled, according to reports, and the supervisor was asked to make his request first to the Nevada City Chamber of Commerce which in turn would present it to the Sacramento Valley Council.

It is probable Coughlan will appear before the local chamber tonight and there is no doubt the chamber here will approve the project.

Barite ore had been trucked all summer from the Spanish Mine but the 12 per cent grade at some points on the road prevents trucking during bad weather. Supervisor Coughlan hopes to have the grade reduced to 8 per cent.

The highway committee urged upon the federal government the reconstruction of Route 46 between Happy Camp and Highway 99 in Siskiyou County in order to facilitate the transportation of strategic defense minerals from that area.

The Gray Eagle Mine, where many Nevada City miners will be employed, is located near Happy Camp and the improving of the highway will facilitate travel by them.

HAWAII DEFENSE WORK CALLS 92 COUNTY MINERS

Ninety two Nevada County miners left Grass Valley for San Francisco today, where they will embark for Hawaii to be employed in national defense work.

The men were signed up for the Hawaiian job during the past ten days at the United States Employment office in Grass Valley.

It is estimated the number leaving today will bring the total of Nevada County miners working in Hawaii to approximately 400.

In the group which left today were many Nevada Cityans, including Jas. (Cap) Davis, Thomas Hogan and Adrian Torpie.

Sierra Buttes Show Spring Signs

According to the Downieville ranger station weather records of rainfall this year is 11.48 inches under that recorded this date a year ago (January 21). Sierra Buttes, the highest peak in the Downieville district is showing more signs of spring than was shown the middel of January a year ago. The brush fields are not covered over with snow and brown rocks of the Buttes are poking their heads out as after a spring thaw.

To date there has been a rainfall of 34.92 inches, leaving 25 inches before the seasonal normal of close to 60 inches is reached.

Mail Delivered To Isolated Lookout Despite Weather Conditions

The delivery of daily mail has been long accepted by the public as a routine matter, but to Mr. and Mrs. Don MacGinnis, occupying an isolated aircraft warning station on the Bloomfield district of the Tahoe National Forest, such service is a constant source of wonder, state District Ranger Lewis today.

Since last December, MacGinnis' station has been snowbound, but every day, irrespective of the rain and snow, the MacGinnis have had their paper, magazines, supplies and mail delivered to their doorstep by Mail Carrier Harbor of North Bloomfield.

The mail is carried as far as possible by Harbor in his car and then skied into Graniteville over the snow. Following the recent warm spell, most of the snow melted and with the exception of a few places, the route was passable. An appeal to Supervisor Jay Coughlan of North Columbia by Harbor brought out the county road crew who plowed the road open thus making Harbor's task of adhering to the tradition, "the mail must go through" a great deal easier. The Mac Ginnises will long remember the thrill of the silent magical appearance of their mail at their door step far out on an isolated snow bound peak.

Blue Tent Rancher Succumbs

EUGENE BRINDEJON FUNERAL RITES WEDNESDAY

Eugene Brindejon, 73, Blue Tent rancher, died today at the Wood Sanitarium on Grove Street.

The funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Holmes Funeral Home here. Rev. Cedric Porter of the Episcopal Church will officiate. Burial will be in the Pine Grove Cemetery.

Brindejon was born on Christmas Eve, 1868, at the Brindejon ranch in the Blue Tent district. He lived on the ranch his entire life, operating the ranching and wood business with his brothers, Louis Brindejon and Paul Brindejon, both of whom survive.

The deceased was a member of the Nest of Owls Lodge.

Besides his brothers he leaves a niece, Mrs. Louise Myers of Nevada City.

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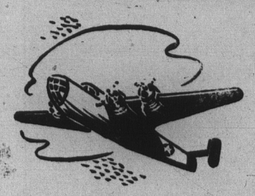

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Give our fighting men the guns, the planes, the tanks they need! Bonds buy bombs. Every dime, every dollar you put into Defense Bonds and Stamps is a blow at the enemy. Hit them where it hurts — buy bonds! Bonds cost as little as $18.75 up—stamps as little as 10 cents up.

Eight Leave Here For Happy Camp

Eight Nevada City men left here yesterday for Happy Camp, Siskiyou County, where they will be employed at the Gray Eagle Copper Mine, a property of the Empire-Star Mines, Ltd.

The eight who left yesterday joined fellow workers who had previously been transferred to the Gray Eagle from the Murchie Mine here. Others will leave for Happy Camp when salvaging operations now being carried on at the Murchie are completed.

The majority of the men will be joined by their families after suitable accommodations can be obtained.

PRIORITIES ARE ASKED FOR GOLD MINING INDUSTRY

The following joint resolution, introduced by Assemblyman Allen G. (Scoop) Thurman, was adopted by Assembly and Senate in the State Legislature prior to its adjournment:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 —Relative to memorializing the United States Government to grant priorities necessary to the continued operation of the gold mining industry.

Whereas, The National emergency is calling upon the Nation to exert every effort toward adequately arming itself; and

Whereas, This effort makes it necessary to give certain industries priorities in the matter of securing needed materials over other industries; and

Whereas, Some parts of the gold mining industry are finding it more and more difficult to secure proper priorities ratings; and

Whereas, Many large districts in the State of California depend upon gold mining industry for much of the employment, taxes, and prosperity of said districts; and

Whereas, While we are determined to win the war, we must likewise be determined to win the peace to follow—and gold, and more gold, will be needed to rehabilitate this war-torn world upon the cessation of hostilities—gold therefore being vitally needed; now, therefore be it

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of the State of California, jointly, That the President and the Congress of the United States are hereby respectfully urged to take such steps as will give the gold mining industry sufficient materials, and priorities thereto, to permit its continued operation through the war emergency; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly is directed to send a copy of this resolution to the President and Vice President of the United States, to each Senator and Member of the House of Representatives from California, in the Congress of the United States, and to the Office of Production Management.

Clyde Howe Willing To Plead Guilty To Charge Of Second Degree Murder

Superior Judge Arthur Coats of Sutter County this afternoon heard a motion for the reduction of the first degree murder charge against Clyde Howe, 52, Rough and Ready rancher, to second degree murder. Howe said he is willing to plead guilty to second degree murder.

At the arraignment this morning Judge Coats postponed action, signfying he desired to determine whether under the law a compromise of such a nature can be made.

Howe, accused of shooting Jean Richlin during a quarrel over title to land in the Rough and Ready district, was represented in court by Harry McKee, who was appointed defendant's counsel by Superior Judge George L. Jones.

PTA FATHERS NIGHT

Mrs. L. G. Lageson, president of the Elementary School Parent Teachers Association, announced today reservations for the Fathers Night banquet Wednesday night at 6 o'clock have been filled but all those who desire to see the entertainment program at 8 o'clock are welcome. The

Mail Schedule Change In Nevada City Effective

Effective yesterday, Nevada City had a change in its mail schedule.

Similar changes were experienced in other cities throughout the United States. The change was instituted to speed up national defense travel on the railroads.

Postmaster Betty Martin West said the outside mail that heretofore was delivered in the afternoon will in the future be delivered in the morning because of the change. Mail which formerly arrived here before 2 o'clock in the afternoon and was distributed that same day will not reach Nevada City until late in the evening.

Afternoon delivery is not to be affected. Regular afternoon schedules and routine will be followed.

The Nevada County Narrow Gauge announced that the new setup brings about a suspension of their "noon" schedule to Colfax for connection with the Southern Pacific.

Their present new afternoon schedule now effective is:

Leave Nevada City at 3:30 p. m.; leave Grass Valley at 3:55 p. m.; arrive in Colfax at 4:45 p. m. for immediate Southern Pacific connection.

This bus will leave Colfax for Nevada City and Grass Valley with passengers, mail, etc., at 5:15 o'clock arriving in Grass Valley at 6 p. m. and Nevada City at 6:25 p. m. This new schedule causes an approximate four hours difference.

The Narrow Gauge officials pointed out that their bus schedules to Auburn, with connections with the Pacific Greyhound bus and Southern Pacific rail services, is in no way affected, the new change concerning the Colfax routine only.

Grocery Stores In County Now Have Uniform Closing Hour

A uniform closing hour has been adopted by all grocery stores in the county at the suggestion of the Nevada County Defense Council.

In the future all grocery stores, including neighborhood stores, will close at 6 p. m.

It was announced the closing will facilitate blackouts and also reduce the use of electricity, which is said to be needed for national defense work.

Assemblyman Thurman Explains Position On State Guard Controversy

Although the daily press has informed the people throughout the district of the various matters of legislation taken up during the recent special session of the state legislature, the writer, as your representative in the lower house, believes that a report as to his stand on the state guard bill might be in order.

First let me state that I voted for every state guard bill which appeared on the floor of the lower house. Five times I voted aye on such bills. And in addition voted in favor of strictly home guard bill as well.

Second may I state that I received but three comunications relative to the state guard, one from the Board of Supervisors of El Dodaro County and another from the chamber of commerce of the same county. Both of these communications were in the form of resolutions opposing the premature calling out of their local guard company to do guard duty elsewhere leaving their home county without state guard protection. We shall not go into detail as to the entire contents of the resolutions but we do agree largely with their contents and have felt all along that the calling out of the local guard units to do duty elsewhere was unwise and premature. A third communication from a citizen of Nevada County opposed a state guard.

Many guardsmen joined the state guard believing that it was being organized for home defense duty and that they would only be called out of their home area in case of a real state emergency such as insurrection or invasion. We do not say that the guard program was misrepresented to these men but we did hear one Senator on the floor of that house, who is also a member of the guard, make such a statement. To call business men, ranchers, married men with families to support, away from their jobs to do guard duty in another county, which should have been able to take care of its own problem as to guard duty, was never the intention of the majority of the members of the state legislature when they passed the original act. That is the reason why the legislature placed certain restrictions in the new guard bill which was passed by both houses last Thursday afternoon.

Senate Bill No. 36, the new guard bill, now permits an active state guard of 10,000 members of which 7,000 men can be on active duty at one time. And let me add here, that less than 2,000 guardsmen were on active duty when we were in session

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Defense Savings Committee Will Meet Again Here Friday

Another meeting of the Nevada City Defense Savings Stamp Committee will be held in the City Hall here Friday night, Chairman Charles Everhart presiding.

The various committees were formed at last Thursday night's meeting. At Friday's meeting, a definite program will be outlined.

The committee members are:

School activities: Dr. J. R. Bell, chairman; Mrs. Elza Kilroy and Miss Elizabeth Luther.

Businessmen: Richard S. Worth, chairman, J. C. Scheemer, Frank Leong and Charles Elliott.

Women's organizations; Mrs. Marie Kemper, chairman, Mrs. L. G. Lageson, Mrs. Leland S. Smith, Mrs. Ethel White and Mrs. Margaret Bosworth.

Men's organizations: Charles Elliott, chairman, Raymond Worthley, J. C. Scheemer, Fred C. Garrison, and Frank Leong.

Church organizations: Rev. David Ralston, chairman, Rev Cedric Porter and Father Edward Williams.

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CONSTRUCTION SPEED

"Bad news" for Generalissimo Hitler and his stooges was contained in an announcement by the War Production Board.

A recent survey in the San Diego area, it was revealed, found construction workers completing 3,000 defense project homes in a little over half the time given them by the Labor Division.

The 3,000 homes to house 18,000 persons were to be completed in 300 days. They were finished in 160 days and, for good measure, workers built a sewage disposal plant, a five million gallon reservoir and a twenty mile road.

Reports from other sections of the country show many of these "building miracles" taking place.

In Cleveland a fire destroyed a large bronze and aluminum factory. The workers hustled in rebuilding the foundry in five days to get vital war orders on their way to the front.

MARCH OF DIMES NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

Stressing that half of the amount of money contributed in every county throughout the nation remains in the city or town where collected to be used for directly aiding the victims of Infantile Paralysis. Dan Marovich, northern California director, calls attention that the funds are allocated to every avenue of danger to combat the disease.

It will buy the special equipment that is needed to fight polio virus and will pay for hospital care when victims have no money of their own. But the fight does not stop here. Our dimes and dollars, said Marovich, do more than care for the victim. They attack the enemy itself.

The other half of the funds raised here goes to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. It enables medical scientists from California to New York to carry on in research laboratories the relentless search for the cure and prevention of the disease.

This is the fight, said Marovich, of which President Roosevelt, himself a victim of the disease inspired and his victory over the scourge has been the beacon for thousands of victime. It cannot fail. In the last three years 26,000 of our fellow citizens have been victims of infantile paralysis, Marovich reported.

A warning from the medical profession is to the effect the figure means that infantile paraylsis is rolling up the most severe consecutive epidemic record in all our American history of the disease. It means, say health and medical officials that the very strength of our nation is threatened.

The Infantile Paraylsis March of Dimes fund campaign has opened in Nevada City and deserves the support of all residents.

MORE STATE GUARD

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last week.

Under the new bill, guardsmen when on active duty will be paid $2.00 per day plus their board and lodging while the officers of the guard when on active duty will receive the base pay of the United States army. The bill also permits a reserve force of approximately 15,000 men who cannot be called away from their home districts except in case of insurrection or invasion.

The bill as passed, was a compromise between two opposing factions in the lower house. The minority did not want any restrictions whatever, while many members of the majority group did not want a combat army, feeling that it was the duty of the federal government to furnish a combat army. Some of the members of the majority group felt that the paying of state guardsmen $2.00 per day for guarding bridges while our boys fighting with General MacArthur in the Philippines were getting $1.00 a day, was out of line. Others did not see why the officers of the state guard should draw the same base pay as officers in the regular army. The result was that the guard bill was one of the most controversial measures to appear before the lower house in many years.

Legislation is largely a matter of compromise and such legislation as the guard bill could only be passed by a compromise.

The writer has no apologies to offer on the way he voted on the guard bill. We have felt all along that the people of the district had enough confidence in our judgment that we would vote as we thought was right in the matter. The fact that we received but three communications from the people of the ten counties we have the honor to represent, we believe bears out our viewpoint. When we voted for a restricted active force plus a large reserve force, we were thinking of the needs of our home counties as well as of the men in the guard who could ill afford to be taken away from their jobs and families to do guard duty elsewhere. We were not thinking, I can assure you, of the highly paid officers of these men, some of whom might be making more money in the state guard than they are making in private life. To expect guardsmen with families to support and bills to pay to leave their homes and jobs, was in our opinion not only ill advised but in some cases throughout the state, was done without proper consideration of the welfare of these men.

Cool thinking and less hysteria is what is needed right now. in this writer's opinion and that was the opinion of the majority of the members of the lower house. The writer believes that the new guard act will give the state ample protection and should the governor sign the strictly home guard bill in addition to S. E. 36, the state will have many additional guardsmen to protect it against sabotage.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

The highest purpose of intellectual cultivation is, to give a man a perfect knowledge and mastery of his own inner self.—Novalis.

Culture would not be culture if it were not an acquired taste.—John Cowper Powys.

That is true cultivation which gives us sympathy with every form of human life, and enables us to work most successfully for its advancement.—Henry Ward Beecher.

Nurseries of character should be strongly garrisoned with virtue. School examinations are one sided; it is not so much academic education, as a moral and spiritual culture which lifts one higher.—Mary Baker Eddy.

That alone can be called true refinement which elevates the soul of man, purifying the manners by improving the intellect.—Coleridge.

The primary indication, to my thinking, of a well ordered mind is a man's ability to remain in one place and linger in his own company.—Seneca.

Attends Highway Meeting—

H. F. Sofge, local chamber of commerce secretary, attended the meeting of the highway committee of the state chamber in Sacramento Friday. Sofge is a member of the committee.

SOMETHING ALL CAN DO

M. A. Dunning cartoon courtesy of *Austin (Tex) Statesman.*

OVER 4 BILLION FOR CALIF. IN WAR CONTRACTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—Production of war material is revolutionizing the industrial economy of California and the Pacific Coast, this state now having passed the four billion dollar mark for war material on plant contracts, the current economic report issued by the Research Department of the California State Chamber of Commerce reveals. California continues to hold first rank in war contracts awarded.

There are now more than 360,000 workers employed in production of essential war materials or considerably more than half of the total of industrial employees. According to the best available estimates, the population of the state has shown a net increase of 443,000 during the twenty months which have elapsed since the 1940 census. This increase in population is largely attributable to defense migration.

The number of factory employees as compared with a year ago has increased 59% and payrolls have nearly doubled. Average weekly earnings at the close of 1941 was $38, a gain of approximately 25% over the 1940 level. In this same period the cost of living of wage earners rose about 9% in the metropolitan areas.

Value of new non-residential building in November was greater than for the preceding two months, and slightly exceeded the amount for November 1940. Private residential construction was about 18% below that of the corresponding month in 1940.

Already the leading state in production of crops, California is planning heavily increased production for 1942, up to the limits of available farm labor and mechanical equipment. The gross farm income of the state for 1941 reached the highest level on record, aggregating 25% more than 1940; the total exceeding the previous high point reached in 1929 by 11%. The domestic market outlook for most of California products is favorable because of the higher level of business activity and consumer incomes, the larger purchases under the food-for-defense program, and the reduction of competing foreign commodities. Retail trade figures showed a substantial increase in consumer buying during the past year. Department store sales for 1941 were about 17% greater than for 1940 and sales by independent retailers, excluding department stores, were approximately 19% higher.

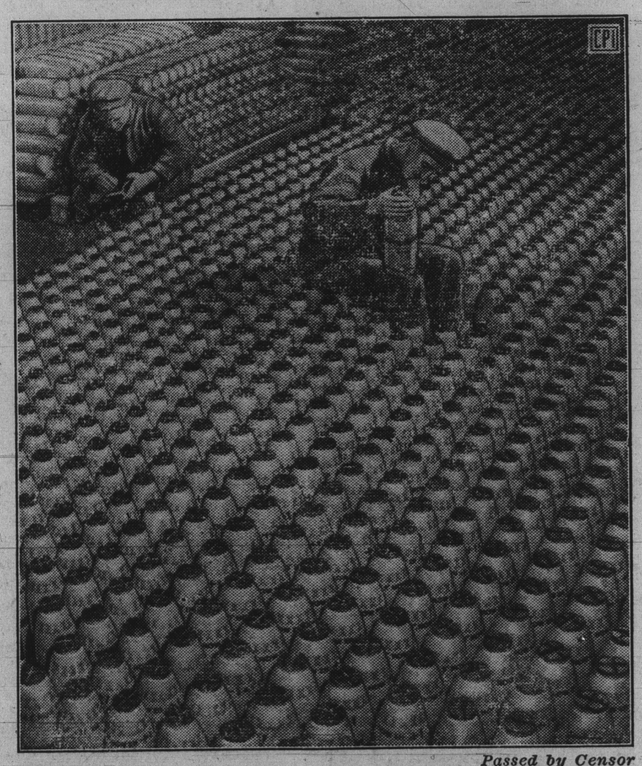
Forestry School Pays Students While Learning

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.—High school graduates are wanted by the U. S. Forest Service for vocational forestry training and for defense jobs in the woods according to an announcement by U. S. Regional Forester S. B. Show.

The Mt. Shasta Vocational Forestry School at the NYA Resident Center will open a training course in February for qualified high school graduates with an interest in forestry and lumbering. The summer term will be spent by qualified students as forest guards in actual work of fire protection in the state.

Applicants must be between the ages of 17 and 24, unmarried and in good physical condition. Transportation to the schooland return will be paid by the NYA, text books are free and there is no tuition charge. While attending regular sessions students will be paid $30 a month for 60 hours work, from which $22 is deducted for board. Additional time is available for related school courses. Interested high school graduates and students graduating this month should address communications to Forestry Resident Project, care U. S. Forest Service, Mt. Shasta City, California. The spring semeser will begin January 26 and enrollments will close February 15.

Canada—Arsenal of Empire



Passed by Censor

PICTURED here is a corner of one of the largest shell manufacturing plants in the British Empire. It is located in the Province of Quebec. Only twelve months ago they were harvesting corn on the same spot. Canada's war effort is expanding like that. Before the war the Dominion made no shells. Today Canada is manufacturing 22 types of gun ammunition of ten different calibres at the rate of millions of rounds a year. One bomb factory alone will produce more than 100,000 500-pound bombs a year.

NEW OFFICE HOURS

The Tahoe National Forest Service here, in line with instructions to all agencies of the federal government, began operating under a new schedule of hours today. The change was made to increase the office working hours from seven to eight on week days and four hours on Saturdays. The forest service employees will henceforth start work at 8 a. m. and end the day's labors at 5 p. m. Saturday hours will be from 8 a. m. to 12 noon.

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WILSON—In Nevada City, January 24, 1942, Robert B. Wilson against Bessie M. Wilson; suit filed; ground, extreme cruelty.

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Of the sixty nine institutions of higher learning in California, the Lassen Junior College, a Susanville is the only one able to offer Civilian Pilot Training during the spring semester from its own campus and community airport. Lassen lies outside the combat zone established to include all areas of California within 150 miles of the coastline in which civilian aircraft have been grounded by army authority. Applications of students from the combat zone will be considered immediately, states N. H. McCollom, Dean of the Lassen Junior College and Coordinator of Civil Pilot Training at the Susanville college.

Young men, citizens of the United States, from nineteen to twenty six years of age, who have completed at least 30 college units of accepted work and are enrolled for the spring semester in the Lassen Junior College may be accepted for the pilot course. Applicants must pass a physical examination.

The Civil Pilot Training program is organized under the Department of Commerce, and is subsidized by the federal government. The cost to the student is six dollars for the physical examination and seven dollars for insurance coverage.

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NOTICE! DOG OWNERS

Of the City of Nevada are instructed that they must purchase licenses for their dogs, as of January 1, 1942. Licenses are $2 each for male and female, procurable during regular hours at the City Hall, Nevada City. Unless properly licensed, dogs will be impounded after February 1, 1942.

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NUTRITION GROUP TO MEET HERE

Rev. David Ralston, chairman of the Nevada-Sierra County Nutrition Committee, announced today a meeting of the group will be held Wednesday night at the City Hall here.

In addition to the reports of chairmen of committees already appointed, Chairman Ralston said other committee personnel will be announced. Delegates from Downieville, Truckee and other outlying communities are expected to be represented at the meeting. Plans will be outlined for future activities of the committee.

March of Dimes Drive Opens Here; President's Ball Saturday Night

Nevada Cityans this week are urged to support the March of Dimes drive and attend the President's Birthday Ball, which will be held Saturday night at the Veterans Memorial Building in Grass Valley.

Both are for the benefit of infantile paralysis victims, assuring funds for the continuance of the fight against the dreaded malady.

Fred Garrison has been apointed chairman of the March of Dimes committee in this city. Garrison and his committee will acatively work here this week to make Nevada Cityans March of Dimes conscious.

IN THE NAVY

Tom Legg, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Legg of this city, who has enlisted in the naval aviation corps, was home for the weekend. He reports this afternoon at the naval headquarters in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Netz Return—

Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Netz, prominent resident of this city, have returned from Oregon, where they had spent several weeks for their health.

The Sunshine Circle, women's society of the Methodist Church, will meet at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the church here.

Worthen Bradley Heads Mining Chapter

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.—Organization of the California Chapter of the American Mining Congress was completed at a meeting of mining executives held in this city January 17. The new chapter brings together many of the various branches of mining and is expected to give the mining industry a more unified front in matters of public relations, both nationally and within the state.

Worthen Bradley, of the Bradley Company was elected president of the new organization. Other officials elected are as follows: Russell Mumford, Amrican Potash & Chemical Corporation, vice president; Roy E. Tremoureoux, U. S. Lime Products Co., vice president; Albert F. Knorp, secretary-treasurer; C. C. Prior, Central Eureka Mining Company; Wm. C. Browning, Golden Queen Mining Company; F. C. Van Deinse, Yuba Consolidated Gold Fields; A. B. Campbell, Pacific Coast Borax Company; F. W. Nobs, Empire Star Mines, Ltd., E. B. DeGolia, Gold Hill Dredging Company; Senator Thomas McCormack, Natomas Company; Roy W. Moore, Cactus Queen Mining Company, members of the executive committee.

The new association incorporates the largest list of mines ever brought together in a California mining association.

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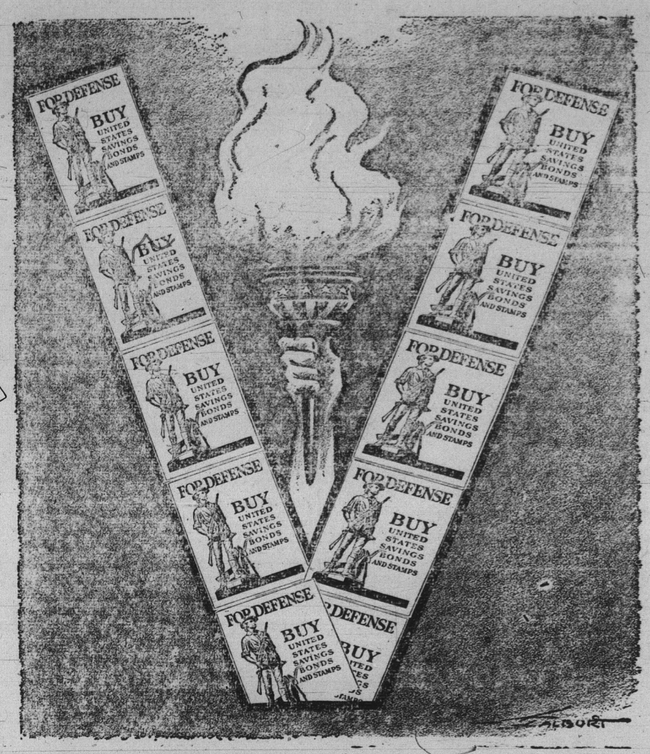

TRAILER VAGABOND

By WARREN BAYLEY

This feature appears through the courtesy of O. K. Tire Weld Co. G. R. (Red) Jarrard, Hills Flat, Grass Valley, California.

Virginia City, Nevada.

The tremendous wealth of the Comstock Lode has made more fortunes than any other area of equal size in the world. It has produced a billion dollars in silver and gold. Its far reaching effects founded a transcontinental railroad, a great steamship line and a great newspaper chain. Exquisite palaces were built in Europe with riches that came out of the Comstock and the San Francisco Stock Exchange was actually founded to handle Comstock manipulations that were spreading around the entire globe.

Twenty three miles south of Reno, this fantastically rich mining district is peaceful and quiet today. Some mines still operate. Virginia City, in the heart of the Comstock Lode, is far from abandoned. But the rip-roaring activity of the sixties and seventies, when silver was king have passed.

An example of surrounding wealth is the ore with which local streets are paved—valued at ten dollars a ton. An example of the decay that has set in since the silver market crashed is the neglect of homes and buildings. Rows of them that were straight and neat when they went up in such a hurry after the disastrous fire in 1875 now stagger and wobble from the shrinking and compressing of the big timbers shoring up the maze of underground workings beneath the town. Over 700 miles of such tunnels burrow through the Comstock, out of which have come twenty million tons of ore From depths ranging to 3,300 feet silver poured forth to upset the world's equilibrium for two decades.

Gold and silver were worked around here for years before the Comstock Lode itself was discovered. The tremendous value of the find wasn't fully realized until 1857. Then the rush was on, bringing the hordes of miners from far and wide and a huge back wash of prospectors from the California rush of '49.

Virginia City sprang up, crammed with 35,000 hopeful people. The wild speculation of local miners began to spread throughout the land and by 1862 a means of regulated exchange was sorely needed. The San Francisco Stock and Exchange Board was organized for the purpose Jsecond in size only to the one in New York. Action on the market became terrific. At times the doors to the Exchange had to be guarded by police to stem the frantic rush of buyers gone mad over Nevada mines. Speculation was even made in feet and inches of Comstock workings. The 1868 race to control the Hale and Norcross mine in the Lode sent the price of a "foot" from $2,825 to $7,100 in a single week. By 1875 the total value of the Comstock shares exceeded $300,000,000. Six years later that valuation had slumped to a mere $7,000,000.

Fearing the steady stream of silver flowing from western Nevada mines, Europe, long dependent on gold as a base for money, called the world's first international monetary conference. Then occurred a fluke that has yet to be explained. Our proffered bill emerged failing to provide for the silver dollar as a medum of exchange. The death warrant of silver had been signed. The silver bubble burst, losing as many fortunes as it had won.

Worth over dollar an ounce in 1873, silver had dropped to half that valuation by 1895. Most of the mines around Virginia City closed. Nevada's age of silver was ended.

ANNULMENT

GRANHOLM — In Nevada City, January 24, 1942, Roy Granholm against Edith Granholm; annulment asked; ground, fraud.

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RED CROSS WAR RELIEF GOAL IS ATTAINED

The following Red Cross War Relief contributions have been received since the last report:

Lava Cap Mine and vicinity: Otto Schiffner and John Chandler, each $5.00; Charles Moody and Charles Gibson, each $2.00.... Bill Shimmin, Tom Ludy, John Franz, Tom Bardman, John Odgers and Hugh Bien, each $1.00.

In North Columbia the following contributed $1.00 each: Mrs. J. K. Phelan, Mrs. Walter Pharr, James Carter, Thorn English, Mary Joan Campbell, T. C. Bigelow, C. W. Bigelow, Geo. Murhy, Bridget Mahoney.

In French Corral the following have contributed $1.00 each: Mrs. McCracken, Mr. and Mrs. A. Browning, Mrs. Gus Peterson, Mrs. W. Burnett, L. J. Reader.

$1.50 — MissTherese O'Connor, Miss Catherine O'Connor.

Other contributions received were from Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scheck, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Larsen, $5.00 each; Ben Waite $3.00; and $1.00 each frm Mrs. Phoebe Maguire, Mrs. M. D. Sasey and Bob Polglase.

The Red Cross drive ends today it is announced, with something over the quota of $2,000 subscribed.

Mrs. Belle Douglass reports that from the Vallejo Red Cross, an anonymous dollar has been contrbuted to the Nevada City War Relief fund by some person in Mare Island.

1941 Gas Record Hits New Peak

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 26.—California motorists used more than two billion gallons of taxable gasoline in 1941 to establish a new annual record it was reported today by Rienard E. Collins chairman of the State Board of Equalization.

Complete reports for the calendar year were made available with the receipt of returns from the ditribution of gasoline made during the month of December.

Board records show that a total of 2,122,039,177 gallons of taxable gasoline was distributed during the 1941 12-month period. On this basis the board assessed a tax amounting to $63,661,175.38, to establish a record far in excess of any prior sales. This amount represented an increase of $6,937,929.97 over the 1940 gasoline tax, or a gain of 12.23 per cent for the year, Collins explained.

The December tax amounted to $5,429,658.32, a gain of 14.74 per cent over the same month of the previous year and well above the $5,392,284.19 recorded for November, 1941.

TERMITES STILL BORING INTO U. S.

This nation, though it may experience serious reverces and rough going for a time, will ultimately win a complete victory over its treacherous Axis enemies. Of that the American people are supremely confident. There is no defeatism in the United States about the outcome of the war.

But will the American way of life survive the war? Will it come through the ordeal unscathed and unchanged, as it has through other conflicts and upheavals which have marked the growth of a great nation? Or will America lose the war on its home front, while winning its battle on the seven seas?

In short, will this country emerge in the post war period under state socialsm, or some other alien system imported from foreign shores?

Such are the questions which are troubling earnest, thinking Americans in every walk of life—and not without cause.

The war abroad has not stoped the termites from boring within; quite to the contrary. Already a determined attempt has been made to introduce into the defense program the Communistic idea of workers' committees to control management and production The OPM, thus far, has rejected the plan, but the CIO, which proposed it, is still busily trying to scare up support for its program to have joint labor and industry committees formed to take over the job of converting plant facilities for war work.

The demand for the Communistic scheme went so far that even Sidney Hillman, labor co-chairman of the OPM, joined with William Knudsen in rejecting it. And C. E. Wilson, a member of the sub-committee of the general management labor committee, denounced it as a brazen attempt at "socialization" of American industry which, he said, would "destroy the very foundation upon which America's unparallelel record of industrial accomplishment had been built."

But the plan to give workers' committees "a voice in management" without accepting any of the obligations which go with management and ownership—such as paying the losses—is only one of many attacks which must be warded off if the American system of free enterprise is to be maintained as an integral bulwark of American democracy.

Public power enthusiasts have already indicated that they intend to take advantage of the war situation in an effort to have the government "take over" the whole power industry. Other public ownership zealots would like to "take over" the railroad industry, the trucks, the banks and all communications facilities. And still others would like to use the war as an excuse to give the government monopolistic control over the production and sale of all foods and other "essential commodities." At the end of that trail of course, lies State socialism — government control of every man's business and every man's job!

But the fact that America is troubled is a good sign. A troubled, questioning people, wondering about the danger of losing its rights and liberties, is not so likely to lose them.

Nevada City Girl In Bridal Splendor

Shown here in all her bridal splendor is the former Miss Joan Grant of Nevada City. She became the wife of James Vaught Dotson in Boston, Mass., during the holidays.

The former Nevada City girl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant of Nevada City. Following her graduation from the local high school, she attended American International College and several months ago graduated from the famous Peter Brent Brigham Hospital, School of Nursing in Boston.

Mrs. Grant, Joan's mother, attended the wedding ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Dotson are living at 50 Fallon Street,, Cambridge, Mass. Nevada City friends are invited to write.

For the wedding ceremony Jean wore a formal wedding gown of ivory satin. Her veil was of ivory net applique lace and she carried a bouquet of white roses and fern.

The church was decorated with lighted candles and red roses for the ceremony. Like the bride, the attendants were beautifully attired. Each of the four bridesmaids wore ruby wine velveteen dinner gowns with skull caps trimmed in gold veiling and carried bouquets of holly and lighted white candles.

The maid of honor, Miss Edna Baggett, wore an emerald green velveteen dinner gown and carried a bouquet of red roses and holly.

The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Dotson of West Nashville, Tenn. He attended the Baxter Seminary, University of Tennessee.

Dotson is on the research staff of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The photo was taken by Bachrach Studio of Boston.

CAMPTONVILLE NOTES

CAMPTONVILLE, Jan. 26.—Mrs. B. F. McNaught and Miss Maxine Montgomery made a trip by horseback Wednesday to the Alaska Peak Look Out Station.

Word was received a few days ago from W. H. Putnam and family who recently moved from the Heether saw mill to the southern part of the state. They are now living at Maywood were he is attending a shipfitters school for eight weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olson and family left Thursday for Nevada, near Hawthorne, where he is employed.

Word was received Thursday that Henry Woods, of this place, who went to southern California a month ago is now ill in a hospital at Taft.

Myron Pauly returned Thursday evening from a weeks visit spent at Oakland.

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JOHN BRADLEY CANADA WEDS VIRGINIA GIRL

Friends in Nevada City have received the announcement of the wedding of Captain John Bradley Canada, United States Army, to Miss Leila Olivia Smith on Saturday, Januay 3rd, in St. Paul's Church in Richmond, Virginia.

Canada, a mining engineer, lived in Nevada City for two years, leaving here about two years ago for Walkermine, Plumas County. Captain Canada become widely acquainted during his residence here. He took an interest in skiing.

The former resident was a reserve officer in the army and was called to active duty during the emergency.

Deputy Federal Income Tax Collector Will Be In Nevada City Next Month

William Anater, deputy federal income tax collector, has announced to local federal income taxpayers that he will be at the City Hall here on February 18th, 25th and 26th to assist taxpayers in preparing their returns.

Anater announces no charge will be made for this service. He said the matter of filing your income tax return should be given immediate attention, in order to avoid penalty and interest.

Your ore required to file a return if your gross income is $750 or over and you are single (or married and not living with husband or wife), or if you are married and living with husband or wife and your gross income is 1,500 or over.

The return must be filed not later than March 15th.

Returns From San Francisco — Mrs. Joe Glennon has returned from San Francisco, where she spent the past two weeks visiting with her daughters.

RAY BUTTERFIELD DEATH MOURNED IN NEVADA CITY

Nevada City friends of Raymond Butterfield, former superintendent of the San Juan mine, also known as the Boss Mine, near North San Juan, have learned with regret of his recent death.

Butterfield left the San Juan Mine in 1939 to accept the position as superintendent of the Reed Quicksilver Mine in Yolo County. Both properties are owned by the Bradley Mining Company.

Born in Denver, Colo., in 1892, Butterfield started working underground at the age of 16 and made his first stake at the Vindicator Mine when 19 years old. He later came to California and in 1933 became superintendent of the San Juan Mine. He is credited with doing valuable pioneering work in camp building and reopening the old workings at the Reed Mine.

FUNERAL RITES TOMORROW FOR ED J. MUGFORD

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Holmes Funeral Home here for Edward J. Mugford, 76, who died at 128 Grove Street here Saturday night.

Mugford for the past 15 years had been residing in Alleghany but spent considerable time in this city.

Rev. David Ralston of the Methodist Church will officiate at the funeral services. Burial will be in the Pine Grove Cemetery.

The deceased leaves his wife, who resides in Los Angeles, two sons, Edward Mugford of Los Angeles and Thomas Mugford of Nevada City, a brother, Thomas Mugford of Sacramento and four sisters, Mrs. Jack Stevens of Grass Valley, Mrs. Louis Cassell of Sutter Creek, Mrs. Al Witte of Sacramento and Mrs. Elizabeth Weiger of Los Angeles.

To aid the government in selling United States defense savings stamps Western Union is placing 10, 25 and 50 cent denomination stamps on sale at 52,000 public offices.

The manager of the Western Union office here has been instructed in the sale of the stamps and has indicated her enthusiasm and cooperation.

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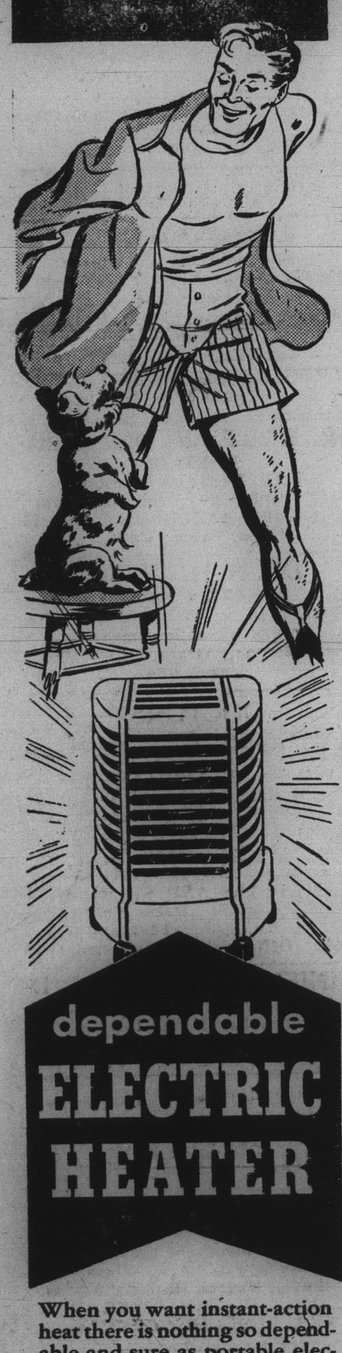

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